

Amendments to the Claims:

Please amend claims 1, 5, 7-8, and 11-12 as follows:

1. (currently amended) Method for selecting a one from a plurality of different print head servicing routines for servicing of an inkjet print head of an inkjet printer, comprising:

receiving a first print job with a first time information representing time information about the first print job;

storing the first time information such as the first time information is kept even when the printer is switched off;

receiving a second print job with a second time information representing the time information of the second print job;

storing the second time information;

determining the time difference between the first time information and the second time information; and

selecting a print head servicing routine from the plurality of different print head servicing routines, the print head servicing routine selected being dependent upon the time difference between the first time information and the second time information ~~depending on the time difference.~~

2. (original) Method for selecting a servicing routine for servicing of an inkjet print head of an inkjet printer according to claim 1, wherein after storing the first time information

the printer is switched off; and

the printer is switched on.

3. (original) Method for selecting a servicing routine for servicing of an inkjet print head of an inkjet printer according to claim 1, wherein after initiating the selected print head servicing routine the memory is updated by the second time information.

4. (original) Method for selecting a servicing routine for servicing of an inkjet print head of an inkjet printer according to claim 2, wherein after updating the memory the second print job is executed.

5. (currently amended) Method for selecting a servicing routine for servicing of an inkjet print head of an inkjet printer according to claim 1, wherein in case the determination of the time difference between the first time information and the second time information is not possible or does not lead to a reasonable result, a predefined one of the plurality of different print head servicing routines is selected.

6. (original) Method for selecting a servicing routine for servicing of an inkjet print head of an inkjet printer according to claim 1, wherein after switching on the printer a dirty power cycle test step is carried out checking whether the printer had been switched off during a state in which the printer and in particular the print head had not been at rest.

7. (currently amended) Method for selecting a servicing routine for servicing of an inkjet print head of an inkjet printer according to claim 6, wherein in case before switching on the printer the inkjet printer had been switched off during a state in which the printer and in particular the print head had not been at rest, a further predefined one from the plurality of different print head servicing routines is selected.

8. (currently amended) Inkjet printer, comprising:

a receiving unit, which receives data representing a current print job;_;

a time determination unit ~~connected~~ coupled to the receiving unit, which determines the time information of the current print job;_;

a first memory unit, which is capable of storing a time information;_;

a time difference determination unit ~~connected~~ coupled to both the time determination unit and the first memory unit, which time difference determination unit determines the time difference between the stored time information and the time information of the current print job;_;

a second memory unit capable of storing data representing a plurality of different print head servicing routines;

a selecting unit ~~connected~~ coupled to both the time difference determination unit and the second memory unit, which selecting unit selects a particular print head servicing routine from a plurality of different print head servicing routines, wherein the print head servicing routine selected is dependent upon ~~depending on~~ the time difference between the stored time information and the time information of the current print job;

a control unit ~~connected~~ coupled to the selecting unit, which control unit initiates the selected ~~particular~~ servicing routine; and

a servicing means ~~connected~~ coupled to the control unit, which servicing means is capable of performing a the selected print head servicing routine, wherein the first memory unit keeps the stored time information independent of the power supply of the printer even if the printer is switched off.

9. (original) Inkjet printer according to claim 8, wherein the first memory is connected to a battery or to an accumulator.

10. (original) Inkjet printer according to claim 9, wherein the accumulator is charged via the supply voltage of the inkjet printer when the printer is switched on.

11. (currently amended) Computer program element which makes a computer execute a procedure comprising the following steps for selecting a servicing routine for servicing of an inkjet print head of an inkjet printer:

receiving a first print job with a first time information representing time information about the first print job;

storing the first time information;

switching off the printer, after the first time information has been stored;

switching on the printer again;

receiving a second print job with a second time information representing the time information of the second print job;

storing the second time information;

determining the time difference between the first time information and the second time information; and

selecting a print head servicing routine from a plurality of different print head servicing routines, the print head servicing routine selected being dependent upon ~~depending on~~ the time difference between the first time information and the second time information.

12. (currently amended) Computer readable medium having a program recorded thereon, where the program makes the computer execute a procedure comprising the following steps for selecting a servicing routine for servicing of an inkjet print head of an inkjet printer:

receiving a first print job with a first time information representing time information about the first print job;

storing the first time information;

switching off the printer, after the first time information has been stored;

switching on the printer again;

receiving a second print job with a second time information representing the time information of the second print job;

storing the second time information;

determining the time difference between the first time information and the second time information; and

selecting a print head servicing routine from a plurality of different print head servicing routines, the print head servicing routine selected being dependent upon ~~depending on~~ the time difference between the first time information and the second time information.